

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 14 Jan 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 15 Jan 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 14 Jan 2021 at 02:07

Confidence: High for Thursday and Friday becoming lower on Saturday for timings of precipitation.

Headline for Thursday 14 Jan 2021: Mainly dry and bright. Windy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 14 Jan 2021

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

No Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
20%	10%	30%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Thursday 14 Jan 2021

Weather: Early rain will clear to leave a dry day with increasing amounts of sunshine. A few isolated showers developing, wintry above 700m.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90%

Visibility: Mainly excellent during the day with just patchy cloud on the summits.

Forecast for Thursday 14 Jan 2021

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	36/50 NW	33/46 NW	31/43 NW	26/36 NW	23/32 NW	19/27 N	10/14 N
300	18/33 NW	16/30 NW	17/30 NW	14/26 NW	11/22 NW	10/19 N	6/10 N
Valley	16/33 NW	14/29 NW	14/28 NW	12/24 NW	9/20 NW	8/17 N	6/10 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-3	3/-4	2/-5	3/-4	2/-4	1/-4	1/-3
300	6/2	5/0	5/1	5/1	4/-0	3/-1	2/-1
Valley	7/3	6/2	6/2	7/3	4/1	4/0	3/1
Freezing Level*	1200m	1000m	1000m	1000m	900m	800m	800m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

Strong northwesterly winds with a significant wind chill on the tops.

Forecast for Friday 15 Jan 2021

Weather: A dry day with some brightness but high cloud will thicken to obscure the sun. Heavy rain will spread in from the west late in the evening.

Maximum wind: South 10-15mph increasing 25-30mph in afternoon then 40 gusts 55mph in evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90% becoming 20% late evening.

Visibility: Patchy fog in the valleys and on low slopes in the morning. Otherwise, good visibility at most elevations. Areas of low cloud developing above 400m late in the evening.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 2C rising to 4 or 5C.
At 700m: Minus 1C rising to Plus 1C.
Freezing level: 700m, rising above summits.